

(FW)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Viswanath Krishnamurthy, et al.

Serial No. 10/693,583

Filed: October 23, 2003

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
DHCP CLIENT-ID  
GENERATION

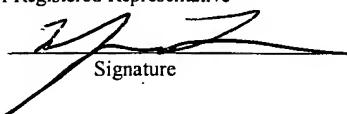
§ Group Art Unit: 2182  
§ Examiner: Franklin, Richard B.  
§  
§ Attorney Docket No.: 6000-10001  
§

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the  
U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to:  
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450,  
on the date indicated below:

Mario J. Lewin

Name of Registered Representative

12/19/05  
Date

  
Signature

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**MAILED SEPTEMBER 19, 2005**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.